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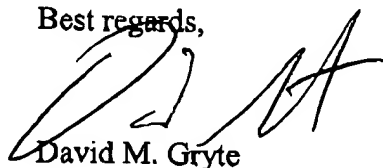
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Dear Ms. Stevens:

This is a follow-up to our call this afternoon regarding the Amendment B that Applicants filed on November 5, 2001 in response to the May 3, 2001 Office action in the above-referenced patent application. During that call, you asked me to fax to you a replacement page that incorporates the amendments to page 847 outlined on pages 2-3 of the Amendment B. Attached is that replacement page. It is my understanding from our call that this facsimile will address your objection to these amendments to page 847 under 37 CFR § 1.121. Please call me if this understanding is incorrect.

Thank you for your courtesy during our call today.

Best regards,



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